

## DEEDED TO UNCLE SAM

Site For Future Government  
Building On South Side  
Ninth Street.

COST AMOUNTS TO \$13700

Several Residence Lots Are  
Included In The  
Sale.

The several lots on the corner of  
Ninth and Liberty streets were  
transferred to the U. S. Government  
Friday, as the first step towards the  
erection of the new government  
building.

The property purchased belonged  
to C. W. Ducker, Mrs. Anna Gunn  
and Mrs. Julia West. As finally ap-  
portioned and paid the three pay-  
ments were as follows:

C. W. Ducker.....\$ 4,650  
Mrs. Anna Gunn..... 7,200  
Mrs. Julia West..... 1,850  
Total.....\$13,700

The government appropriation  
was for \$12,000 and the rest was  
subscribed by property owners in  
the vicinity of the site. The sale  
was negotiated through the real es-  
tate agency of J. F. Ellis, who  
worked long and tirelessly to over-  
come obstacles and bring it about.  
There were a number of sites under  
consideration and the competition  
was very active.

Messrs. W. A. Wilgus and J. T.  
Edmunds also rendered valuable as-  
sistance in raising the balance need-  
ed and is getting the titles cleared  
on the property.

The government's possession of  
the residence property permits the  
occupants to remain in the houses  
until the lots are actually needed for  
building purposes. This is a matter  
of uncertainty, as the bill for the  
appropriation has not yet passed.  
Mr. Stanley is pushing a bill for  
\$100,000 and hopes to get it through  
at the present session.

The government will be paid a fair  
rental for the use of the property  
in the meantime and when full pos-  
session is required the buildings on  
the two Ninth street lots will have  
to be moved away at the expense of  
the former owners. Mrs. West's  
building on Liberty street will have  
to be moved only a few feet. The  
one serious objection to the lot is  
that it does not go from street to  
street, but leaves a narrow strip on  
Ninth street that will prevent the  
new building from having entrances  
on three sides.

VERDICT FOR \$1,999.

Negro at Mayfield Gets Judg-  
ment Against I. C. R. R.

Mayfield, Ky., April 11.—The first  
verdict of any consequence in any of  
the damage suits that have been  
tried at the present term of the Cir-  
cuit Court was returned in the case  
of Isham Mayes, colored, against  
the Illinois Central railroad. The  
jury awarded him damages in the  
sum of \$1,999. The amount sued  
for was \$2,000. The plaintiff was  
unloading cinders from a car near  
the depot, and claimed that a train  
backed against the car and threw  
him down and permanently injured  
him.

Fruit Killed In Mountains.

Whitesburg, Ky., April 8.—There  
was a heavy frost over Eastern Ken-  
tucky this morning and ice formed  
in many sections to a considerable  
thickness. The fruit prospects,  
which were the brightest in years,  
especially for a heavy apple and  
peach crop, are blighted. Vegeta-  
tion, which was far advanced for  
the time of year, has been checked  
several weeks.

Renshaw & Harton,

Furniture and undertaking, Both  
phones. Main St., Hopkinsville, Ky.

## MAYSVILLE GIRL

Miss Margaret Fitzgerald  
Will Represent Wellesley  
College in Tournament.

Boston, April 10.—Miss Margaret  
Fitzgerald, of Maysville, Ky., it was  
announced by the Athletic Associa-  
tion has been chosen to compete for  
the Lincoln Challenge Cup at the all-  
round tournament to be held this  
month at Wellesley College. Miss  
Fitzgerald will be on the junior  
team of ten.

MUST LEAVE BEHIND

Fortunes Aggregating \$600,-  
000,000 in Near Future.

New York, April 11.—Four of the  
very richest people in America, two  
men and two women, whose fortunes  
in the aggregate exceed the fabu-  
lous sum of \$600,000,000, are in the  
hands of the finest physicians in the  
world, who are imploring all the  
skill of modern medical science to  
stave off the payment of that debt  
which all humanity, paupers or mil-  
lionaires, must pay.

They are Andrew Carnegie, reput-  
ed to be worth \$300,000,000; Mrs. E.  
H. Harriman, whose wealth is esti-  
mated at \$150,000,000; Mrs. Hettie  
Green, \$100,000,000, and James K.  
Keene, \$50,000,000.

Princeton Presbytery.

Princeton Presbytery of the Cum-  
berland Presbyterian church met  
with the Sturgis congregation,  
April 5, 1910, at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. J. R. King, the retiring  
moderator, preached the opening  
sermon from Romans 1:16.

Elder R. M. Lisman was elected  
moderator.

The roll call showed that nine  
ordained ministers were present,  
with two candidates; twenty-nine  
congregations were represented.

On Wednesday, at 11 o'clock, the  
Presbytery observed the Sacrament  
of the Lord's Supper. Rev. G. L.  
Woodruff preached from Romans  
8:17. Rev. J. T. Barbee adminis-  
tered the Sacrament.

On Wednesday evening at 7:30,  
Rev. C. M. Zwingle, of Indiana,  
Presbytery and pastor of our church  
at Evansville, Indiana, preached  
from Matthew 22:42. All were de-  
lighted with the sermon.

Thursday morning was spent in  
discussing an interesting program  
for Sunday Schools and Young Peo-  
ple's work.

Rev. Milton L. Clemens, of Hop-  
kinsville, preached at 11 o'clock from  
2nd Kings 6:6.

The next Presbytery will meet  
with the Madisonville congregation.  
H. N. LAMB, Stated Clerk

W. T. Cooper & Co.,  
Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

## RAISE ELK TO EAT IS NEWEST PLAN

Animals Consume Little, are  
Easily Domesticated and  
Make Good Food.

MULTIPLY RAPIDLY.

William E. Curtis Gives Some  
Interesting Facts About  
Them.

The meat supply of the country  
might be increased considerably if  
the wild elk which are now giving so  
much trouble to the authorities and  
ranchmen of Wyoming were to be  
domesticated, and bred for the cattle  
market. Doves of more than 50,-  
000 elk inhabit the Yellowstone Park  
during the summer months, and,  
when the winter snow covers the val-  
leys there, they migrate southward  
into Jackson's Hole and other sec-  
tions of Wyoming, where they have  
grazed for centuries. But their feed-  
ing grounds are now occupied by  
farms, and are inclosed with wire  
fences so that it is not only very dif-  
ficult for them to get food, but  
thousands starve to death every win-  
ter.

The legislature of Wyoming has  
humanely appropriated money to  
buy food for them, and several be-  
nevolent associations have been try-  
ing to get Congress to set apart a  
permanent pasture for them in one  
of the forest reserves. But the most  
practical solution of this little prob-  
lem that has yet been suggested is  
to distribute the animals in small  
bunches among farmers who will be  
willing to breed them for meat. The  
venison of the elk is not so tender as  
that of the deer, but is quite as good  
as that of the antelope, and has an  
excellent flavor. It sells for a high  
price, 60 cents and 75 cents, and  
sometimes a dollar a pound in the  
city markets, and is considered a  
great luxury. It is as good as half  
the beef that is sold in the ordinary  
market, and both the fiber and the  
flavor can be improved by feeding  
and breeding. An ordinary elk  
weighs about as much as the aver-  
age steer, and the meat supply of  
the country might be increased very  
much in that way.

No wild animal is more easily  
domesticated. The elk is naturally  
tame and docile, and requires the  
same feed as ordinary cattle. Elk  
breed regularly and rapidly and the  
young reach maturity in three years.

There are three game farms in the  
United States where venison is  
raised for the market. One is in  
Main, another in Pennsylvania, and  
a third, near Mason City, Iowa,  
is kept by a man named John W.  
Briggs, who makes considerable  
money selling animals to park com-  
missioners and private preserves and  
for venison in the market. He  
realizes from \$30 to \$35 per head for  
his deer, and when he kills a buck  
for market he sells the antlers for  
\$5 additional. He has a corral in-  
closed by eight feet of woven wire,  
with sheds for shelter. The natural  
food is enforced by corn, alfalfa  
and clover, but a deer does not need  
more than one fifth of the fodder of  
an ordinary steer; and hence they  
are not so expensive to maintain.  
They breed rapidly, averaging one  
fawn per doe per year. The mating  
season is in November, the fawns  
are born in May or June, and usually  
the young does have single fawns,  
but when they are four or five years  
old they usually have twins.—Wm.  
E. Curtis in Chicago Record-Herald.

Percy as Log Roller.

Percy Haley, who was Governor  
Beckham's principal political lieu-  
tenant, announces that he will leave  
Kentucky soon to engage in the lum-  
ber business in Michigan. If he  
proves as good a log roller in the tim-  
ber camp as he had the reputation  
of being in the halls of legislation  
he will soon be a bloated bondholder.  
—Shelby Record.

## WOOL POOL

Is Being Formed By the  
Farmers of Christian  
County.

Messrs. M. B. King, Robt. C. Gary  
and R. H. McGaughey, three of the  
leading farmers of the county, are  
forming a wool pool and are meet-  
ing with such success that 5,000  
pounds has already been entered  
and new applications are being re-  
ceived every day. The sheep will be  
sheared the first of May and the  
plan is to make a sale of the pool as  
soon thereafter as possible.

BIG CONTRACT

Awarded By City of Hender-  
son to Local Company.

Contracts have been awarded the  
Meacham Contracting Co., of this  
city and Henderson, for about \$20,-  
000 of sidewalks and gutters, by the  
city of Henderson. The contracts  
embrace three miles of granitoid  
sidewalks and about three miles of  
combined curb and gutter. This  
company has done the bulk of the  
concrete work in Henderson for the  
last two years, maintaining a branch  
office in that city.

The following reference to the  
cement to be used in their Hender-  
son work this season is from the  
Journal:

BIG SALE TO MEACHAM CO.

The Lambert-Walker Company  
has sold to the Meacham Contract-  
ing Company 6,000 barrels of Kos-  
mos Portland cement, a total of 56  
carloads, for delivery during the  
summer and fall at Henderson for  
their work in this city.

James L. Lambert, Jr., and Rod-  
man Meacham returned from Louis-  
ville Saturday where they had gone  
to close the deal.

Mr. Meacham used the Kosmos  
Cement last year on his contracts in  
this city and finds that the cement  
has stood the test so well that he  
proposes to use it exclusively this  
season.

Another Walker.

Paducah, Ky., April 11.—Walking  
from Los Angeles to Boston for a  
wager of \$1,000, Jack Krohn, of  
Newberryport, Mass., reached Pa-  
ducah Saturday afternoon. He  
walked from Mayfield, Ky., a dis-  
tance of 25 miles in seven and a half  
hours. Krohn pushes a small wheel-  
barrow, in which he carries his  
clothing and records.

This is a preliminary trip to one  
he will make over the same route  
next year to beat Weston's record.  
The distance is 4,000 miles. He was  
given permission by Mayor Smith to  
sell souvenirs to defray expenses.  
Today he will leave for Louisville.

FELL FROM WINDMILL

And Sustained Many Painful  
Injuries.

Mr. T. A. Smithson is up again  
after being disabled for several days  
by injuries received by falling from  
a windmill. He was repairing a  
windmill at Mr. F. E. Lacy's and fell  
a distance of twenty feet. No bones  
were broken, but he was badly bruised  
and scratched in many places. He  
had a very narrow escape from se-  
rious injury.

Agree On 10,000 Hills.

Owensboro, Ky., April 8.—Resolu-  
tions were adopted at the Green River  
District Union of the American  
Society of Equity, in session at Cal-  
houn, accepting the 10,000 hills or  
acreage question. This means that  
each hand on the farm will raise on-  
ly that amount of tobacco during the  
year. W. P. Stevens was elected as  
delegate to the national meeting that  
will be held in St. Louis. After hear-  
ing various reports of the society  
the meeting was adjourned to meet  
at Hawesville the first Thursday in  
July.

Hack Fare 25.

On and after this date all hack or-  
ders, except weddings, will be 25c  
for each passenger. Pay the driver.  
TOM STEPHENS.

Home, 1313.  
Cumb. 32.

## Ladies' Tailored Suits!

Will not give you an Orange or a Lemon if you buy  
a suit from me on other named days. I will make  
special prices on each suit that will be worth more  
than a money orange or a one-fourth Lemon. If  
you want to save money on up-to-date suits see  
them. We have no old stock to show.

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largely governs the consumption of  
coal; but, other things being equal,  
coal as we supply it requires less  
draft, because it gives off more heat  
in proportion to the weight of the  
coal than 90 per cent. of the fuel  
offered. We can prove this on the  
fair trial of a single ton. Order di-  
rect from us.

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